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MusicCrafters Will Return for Summer Chamber Music Concert

On Saturday evening, June 7, Frederick Fennell will direct the MusicCrafters in the first summer chamber music concert of 1980. The performance will begin at 8 p.m. in the Library's Coolidge Auditorium. Admission is free and no tickets are required; seating is available on a first-come, first-served basis.

Frederick Fennell, who founded the Eastman Wind Ensemble in 1952, has been the conductor-in-residence of the University of Miami School of Music in Coral Gables, Fla., since 1965. He is well known for his many recordings with the Eastman Wind Ensemble, and he has also conducted and recorded concerts at the Library of Congress featuring 19th-century band music and authentic instruments. He recently directed the Cleveland Symphonic Winds (of the Cleveland Symphony) in digital recordings of British classics by Holst and Handel.

The MusicCrafters were founded in 1978 by Vincent Patterson and other members of the United States Marine Band interested in bringing attention to works that have not been performed as often as they deserve. The ensemble and guest artists performed twice last summer under the direction of Mr. Patterson, and during the winter concert season, they performed under the direction of Frederik Prausnitz once with violinist Edith Peinemann and pianist Walter Klien and later with tenor Sir Peter Pears.

On June 7, MusicCrafters and Mr. Fennell will perform several wind ensemble classics: the *Toccata Marziale* by Ralph Vaughan Williams, *Lincoln-Shire Posy* by Percy Grainger, the *William Byrd Suite* by Gordon Jacob, Beethoven's *Yorck'scher Marsch*, Wo0 18, and Hindemith's "Geschwindmarsch" from the *Symphonia Serena*.

The concert will be sponsored jointly by the Da Capo Fund and U.S. recording funds. The Da Capo Fund was established by an anonymous donor to support concerts, publications, and special projects of both scholarly and general interest based on items in the

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On Monday, May 5, Maxine Kumin visited the Library on the occasion of the announcement of her appointment as the Library's 25th consultant in poetry (see last week's LC Information Bulletin, *pp. 153-154). Mrs. Kumin is pictured here with the current consultant, William Meredith, who has agreed to serve through the end of the year and to participate in the fall 1980 literary program. Mrs. Kumin will succeed Mr. Meredith next January.*

Music Division collections. Funds from U.S. recording companies have been made available through the generous cooperation of Local 161/710 American Federation of Musicians.

Last year's MusicCrafter appearances marked the first occasion that the Library has offered chamber music concerts in the summer. The group will also perform this summer on two other Saturday evenings, July 12 and August 9.

Library Publishes *Children's Books—1979*

Children's Books—1979, 16th in a series of annual guides to current children's books, has just been published by the Library.

The 16-page guide, compiled in cooperation with the Educational Materials Center in the U.S. Office of Education and an advisory committee of Washington, D.C., area specialists, lists 166 titles, with brief annotations, chosen from the best of about 2,000 children's books published last year. The selection is intended to aid both public and school librarians in finding useful and enjoyable works for children from preschool age through junior high school.

Contents of the guide are arranged according to age group and subject matter: picture and picture-story books; first readings; stories for the middle group; fiction for older readers; folklore; poetry, rhymes, and songs; arts and hobbies; biography; history, people, and places; nature and science; and psychology and sociology.

The guide was prepared under the direction of Virginia Haviland, chief of the Library of Congress Children's Literature Center, with the assistance of a committee of librarians, teachers, and other media or education specialists.

Children's Books—1979 (ISSN 0069-3464) is available for $1.25 from the Superintendent of Documents, U.S. Government Printing Office, Washington, D.C. 20402, or in person only from the Information Counter in the Visitor Services Center, Library of Congress Building.

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Comparable institutions and organizations in other countries may arrange to receive the *Bulletin* on the exchange basis by applying in writing to the Library's Exchange and Gift Division. All other correspondence should be addressed to the LC *Information Bulletin*, Information Office, Library of Congress, Washington, D.C. 20540.

Argentine Publications Presented to Library

Argentine painter Juan Carlos Liberti visited the Library of Congress on March 20 in order to donate several books, pamphlets, and prints to the collections. He was accompanied by Rafael Sardá, public relations coordinator for the Museum of Modern Art of Latin America of the Organization of American States.

Mr. Liberti, Mr. Finzi, Mrs. Martin, Mrs. Smith, and Mr. Sardá

Mr. Liberti, one of Argentina's most original painters, won first prize of the Piñero Pacheco Foundation for his canvas "Homage to Frank Lloyd Wright" which hangs in the Museum of Modern Art of Latin America. Among his more notable gifts to the Library were a limited edition of Jorge Luis Borges' *Sonetos a Buenos Aires*, signed by the poet himself and illustrated by Mr. Liberti and Federico Martín, and Shakespeare's *Hamlet* translated into contemporary Spanish by Rafael Squirru and also illustrated by Mr. Liberti with 13 original lithographs.

Accepting these gifts on behalf of the Library were John C. Finzi, director, Collections Development Office, and Mary B. Smith, head of the Gift Section, Exchange and Gift Division. Everette Larson and Dolores M. Martin represented the Hispanic Division.

Copyright Office Makes Management Changes

The Copyright Office was restructured effective April 21 with a corresponding reassignment of management personnel. The purpose of this reorganization was to realign all the divisions under the direction of the Associate Register of Copyrights who is also responsible for the Planning and Technical Office and the Administrative Office.

Several senior staff positions were established to provide the Register with high-level support in specific areas of concern to the office and the copyright community. The principal areas are the mandatory reports to Congress on how certain aspects of the new law are working, international copyright legal research and related program activities, domestic copyright legislative developments and certain special research programs, and implementation of the Library's desire to increase the use and availability of the copyright deposit collection.

Associate Register of Copyrights Michael R. Pew has served as assistant register for automation and records since December 1977. In that position he was responsible for the overall management of the Office. Mr. Pew, who holds a B.Sc. degree from the University of London, joined the Library of Congress in 1973 as a senior systems analyst in the Information Systems Office and in 1976 was appointed executive officer of the Copyright Office, the position he held before being promoted to assistant register.

General Counsel Dorothy M. Schrader will retain her present title and will also hold the title of associate register of copyrights for legal affairs. A graduate of the University of Southern California at Los Angeles in 1960 and Harvard Law School in 1963, she joined the Copyright Office as an examiner in 1963 and, after holding progressively responsible positions in the Examining Division, was named general counsel in 1974. She earned an outstanding performance rating in that position, which she held for two years. She left the Copyright Office in January 1976 and resumed her post as general counsel last July.

Waldo H. Moore, assistant register for registration since March 1977, was appointed to the new position of associate register for special programs. A career staff member, Mr. Moore began work in the Service Division in 1951, advanced to head of the Materials Control Section, and transferred in 1957 to the Examining Division, where he soon became assistant chief. In 1963 he was appointed chief of the Refer-

Cancellation, Corrections

The concert scheduled for Friday, June 6, by the Ensemble Musique Nouvelle as part of the *Belgium Today* observance has been canceled.

In the top right photograph on p. 146 of the May 2 issue of the LC *Information Bulletin*, the person seated at the far left is Mrs. J. Raoul Schoumaker, wife of the Belgian ambassador. Mrs. Rosenwald, who was seated immediately to the right of the Queen, cannot be seen in this photograph.

The May 2 issue of the LC *Information Bulletin* was misnumbered, and "Vol. 39, No. 18" should have appeared on the front page. The issue of May 9 was correctly identified as No. 19.

ence Division, a position he held 14 years. He received a bachelor of laws degree from George Washington University and a master of patent laws degree from the National University (now a part of the George Washington University.)

The new assistant register is Anthony P. Harrison, who has served as chief of the Examining Division since March 1977. Mr. Harrison earned a B.A. degree in 1959 and the LL.B. degree in 1963 at Howard University before joining the Copyright Office as an examiner in the Book Section of the Examining Division. By October 1974 he had advanced to the position of acting head of the Book Section and became head the following year. He was transferred to the Planning and Technical Office in 1975, where he helped plan for implementation of the new copyright law as a program analyst until his appointment as chief of the Examining Division.

Lewis I. Flacks, previously special legal assistant to the Register, is now the international copyright officer. Mr. Flacks received a B.A. degree from City College of New York in 1964 and a J.D. degree in 1967 from the Georgetown University Law Center. He began his career in the Copyright Office as an examiner the same year and has held various legal positions including senior examiner and attorney-adviser in the general counsel's office. He has been actively involved in international copyright matters and has served as U.S. delegate to several international conferences.

Robert D. Stevens, as copyright collections coordinator, will be drawing on his experience in the library community and his tenure as chief of the Cataloging Division since July 1975. Mr. Stevens joined the Library of Congress as an administrative intern and subsequently served in several managerial positions in the former Reference and Processing Departments. He left the Library in 1964 to become director of research collections at East-West Center in Honolulu, Hawaii. A year later he became associate dean and in 1968 was named dean of the University of Hawaii Graduate School of Library Studies. He holds a bachelor's degree from Syracuse University and a degree in library science from Columbia University. He earned a master's degree and a doctorate from American University. In 1971 he served as a Fulbright lecturer at the University of Indonesia.

Susan B. Aramayo, assistant chief of the Cataloging Division, is now acting chief of the division. In 1977 Mrs. Aramayo came to the Copyright Office as the first chief of the newly established Licensing Division, a position she held until being named assistant chief of the Cataloging Division last August. She graduated from the University of Pittsburgh in 1963 and remained there to pursue a master's degree in library science, which she received in 1965, the year she joined the staff of the Library of Congress. She first held a variety of technical and administrative positions in Processing Services and in 1975 became educational liaison officer in the Office of the Assistant Librarian of Congress for Public Education.

Marybeth Peters is the new chief of the Examining Division. As chief of the Information and Reference Division since December 1977, she led the Copyright Office's public information program during the first two years the new copyright law was in operation. Throughout 1977 she supervised the office's internal and external training programs on the new law. She is the author of the *General Guide to the Copyright Act of 1976*. Her previous experience in the Copyright Office included nine years in the Examining Division, and service from 1975 to 1977 as an attorney-adviser and subsequently senior attorney in the general counsel's office. She is a graduate of Rhode Island College and the National Law Center at George Washington University.

The new chief of the Information and Reference Division is Michael S. Keplinger, who has been special legal assistant to the Register since October 1978. Before that, he was the assistant executive director and senior attorney for the National Commission on New Technological Uses of Copyrighted Works (CONTU) until the legislative charter for CONTU expired. Mr. Keplinger holds a B.S. degree from West Virginia University and a J.D. degree from the Georgetown University Law Center. Before his appointment to CONTU, he was employed with the Institute for Computer Sciences and Technology at the National Bureau of Standards.

Mark A. Lillis, assistant chief of the Information and Reference Division since August 1972, is now the attorney for research programs. Mr. Lillis is a recipient of the A.B. Degree from the College of the Holy Cross, the M.A. degree from the University of Detroit, and a J.D. degree from the Harvard Law School. He practiced law in New York for four years before joining the Copyright Office in 1959. In the Examining Division he served successively as head of the Miscellaneous Section, head of the Book Section, and as Senior Attorney for Examining.

Research programs assistant is the new position title of Thomas A. Nichols, who has served as head of the Preservation Section, Records Management Division, since 1970. Mr. Nichols has more than 30 years of Federal service, of which 25 years have been in the Copyright Office. He was appointed head of the Materials Control Section, Service Division, in 1962 and became head of the Records Section, Reference Division, in 1965.

STAFF NEWS

Lawrence Marwick Retires

Lawrence Marwick, who retired recently as head of the Hebraic Section, African and Middle Eastern Division, was the guest of honor at a Whittall Pavilion reception on April 22 in recognition of his 35 years with the Federal Government, including more than 31 years of service with the Library of Congress. In remarks on the occasion, Librarian of Congress Daniel J. Boorstin and Warren M. Tsuneishi, director for area studies, both pointed to "El" Marwick's achievements as a scholar and a librarian.

Dr. Marwick and Dr. Boorstin

A highlight of the reception was Dr. Boorstin's announcement that Dr. Marwick has been invited to serve the Library for a three-year period as honorary consultant in Hebraic bibliography. In extending the invitation, he paid tribute to Dr. Marwick's many contributions to the field of Judaic scholarship and to his achievements in developing Hebraic collections and bibliographic tools in the Library. The first copy of Dr. Marwick's latest research guide, *Diplomatic Hebrew*, a dictionary of Hebrew diplomatic usage, rich in acronyms, neologisms, and coinages reflecting Israel's contacts with the international community, was presented to him by Dana J. Pratt, director of publishing. On behalf of "El's" friends and associates in the Library, Dr. Tsuneishi presented him with a camera, noting that he had expressed a desire to add photography to his many interests in retirement.

His academic background includes bachelor's and master's degrees from the University of Chicago, a

Mrs. Marwick, Dr. Marwick, and Dr. Tsuneishi

doctorate from Dropsie College, and advanced research at the National University, Cairo. From 1941-45, he served as a special agent with the Counter Intelligence Corps, U.S. Army. Widely respected as a specialist in both Hebraic and Islamic studies, he has taught courses in these fields at Dropsie and at New York University.

Dr. Marwick gained national and international recognition as a specialist in the field of Judaic librarianship. This was reflected in his service as a consultant to other research centers, such as the Yivo Institute for Jewish Research in New York City, and as an editor of the *Jewish Book Annual*. He also served on the Subcommittee on Romanization of Hebrew and Yiddish of the American National Standards Institute and as chair of the National Library Committee, American Friends of Hebrew University, Jerusalem.

Copyright News

Norfolk State College in Virginia held a copyright seminar during National Library Week at which **Victor Marton,** supervisor of the Information Unit, Information and Reference Division, spoke on April 15. He delivered a talk before the Society of California Archivists at their annual meeting on April 26 in Los Angeles.

Copyright Office speakers also delivered speeches to groups of publishers. **Marybeth Peters,** chief of the Information and Reference Division, spoke in

February to the Protestant Church-Owned Publishers' Association in Savannah, Ga. General Counsel **Dorothy Schrader** provided an update on the Copyright Office at a meeting on April 30 of the Association of American Publishers Copyright Committee and the New York Rights and Permissions Group.

R. R. Bowker and Knowledge Industry Publications Corp. sponsored a workshop in New York where Marybeth Peters spoke on April 16 about copyright protection for designers, publishers, and authors.

Walter Sampson, chief of the Licensing Division, explained the compulsory licensing scheme for jukebox operators at the Florida Amusement and Vending Association annual convention in Orlando on March 22.

The need for U.S. copyright information is worldwide. The copyrightability of computer software was the subject of a speech given by **Michael Keplinger,** special legal assistant to the Register of Copyrights, before the Second International Congress on Informatics in Paris.

Bernie Dietz, head of the Visual Arts Section, Examining Division, participated in two joint conferences held in London from March 12 to 14. These meetings, sponsored by European Study Conferences, were entitled International Copyright Law and Practice and Industrial Design Protection in Europe and the United States. Mr. Dietz's speeches provided an overview of the copyright law and industrial design.

Various other interest groups heard Copyright Office speakers during February through April. The Boston chapter of the American Society of Picture Professionals invited **Kevin Maricle,** attorney-adviser in the office of the General Counsel, to speak on copyright on March 13. The Washington, D.C., chapter of the Society for Technical Communication heard Marybeth Peters speak on April 17. A seminar on April 4 sponsored by the Department of Commerce included a speech by Victor Marton about copyright in works by the U.S. Government and works created under U.S. Government contract.

The third annual Copyright Law Conference organized by the Patent, Trademark and Copyright Committee of the Federal Bar Association was held March 25 at the Key Bridge Marriott in Arlington, Va. Marybeth Peters, who chairs the committee and who also chaired this conference, presented opening remarks. Later in the day she moderated a panel on Government contracts which involve potentially copyrightable material.

The first session in this conference was led by Dorothy Schrader speaking on recent developments and problem areas. Michael Keplinger presented a session on computer programs, automated data bases, and trade secrets. **Harriett Oler,** senior attorney-adviser in the office of the General Counsel, moderated a panel discussion on copyright in works of the United States Government. The luncheon speaker was **Barbara Ringer,** Register of Copyrights.

The next meeting of the Scholars' Committee **Women's Studies Discussion Group** will take place on Friday, May 30, in Room 324A of the Page School. All interested staff and researchers are invited to attend the informal lunch-hour group. For more information, call Sarah Pritchard in the Main Reading Room, ext. 75520.

Staff members whose attendance at this program may require time exceeding the normal lunch period should consult their supervisors.

Staff Activities

John C. Broderick, Assistant Librarian for Research Services, took part in a conference held at Hofstra University on April 24-26, "Walt Whitman Here and Now," commemorating the 125th anniversary of the publication of *Leaves of Grass.* Mr. Broderick spoke at the conference banquet April 25, describing the Library's holdings of Walt Whitman materials, chiefly the Thomas B. Harned collection, the Horace Traubel papers, and the Feinberg-Whitman collection in the Manuscript Division and the Carolyn Wells Houghton collection in the Rare Book and Special Collections Division.

William E. Carter, chief of the Hispanic Division, and **Jan Herd,** senior assistant of the *Handbook of Latin American Studies,* attended the 27th Annual Meeting of the Southeastern Council on Latin American Studies held in Boone, N.C., at Appalachian State University on April 24-26. The theme of the conference was "Business in Latin America." Miss Herd coordinated and moderated a panel on "The Automobile Industry in Latin America."

Imre T. Jarmy, acting newspaper microfilming coordinator in the Preservation Office, is the author of an article entitled "1978 Library Microfilm Rates" in the spring issue of *Library Resources & Technical Services.* The article analyzes the rates charged by selected U.S. libraries for producing 35mm, archival quality, silver halide microfilm, with tentative projections of future rates based on current market conditions.

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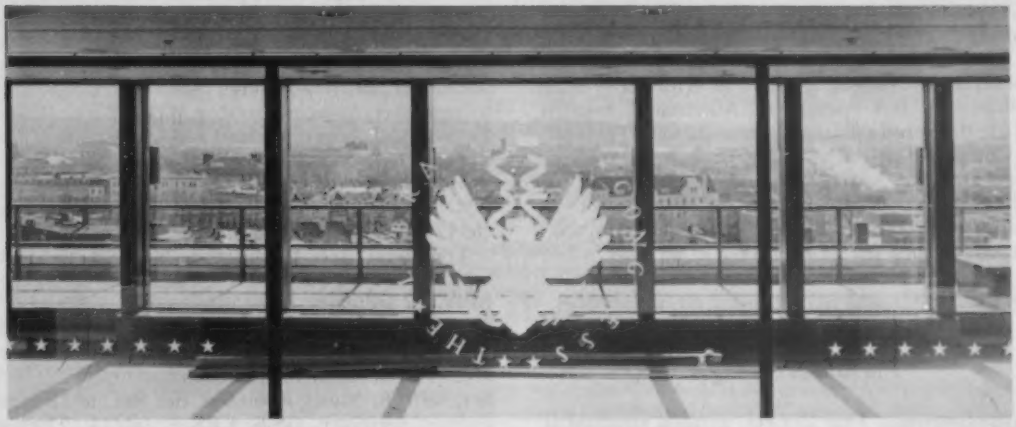
ARA Awarded Food Services Contract

ARA Services, Inc., an international service management company, has been selected to manage the food facilities in the James Madison Memorial Building. Tuesday, May 27, will mark their first day of operations in the new cafeteria and snack bar. The former manager of the ARA cafeteria at the Department of Health, Education and Welfare, Leo Mickail, will be ARA's person in charge of the new Madison food facilities.

Based in Philadelphia, Pa., ARA is the largest food service company in the world, preparing diverse menus ranging from chateaubriand at gourmet restaurants to hot dogs at ball parks. Recently ARA provided 21,000 meals and 7,000 box lunches each day for athletes, media, and support personnel during the 1980 Winter Olympics at Lake Placid, N.Y. Other local government clients include the Pentagon and the Air and Space Museum of the Smithsonian Institution.

Other details concerning hours of operation and location of the new facilities will appear in next week's *Information Bulletin.*



Four glass panels with the Library seal carved by Vigo F. E. Rambusch mark the entrance to the food service area.

Sliding glass doors beyond open to an outside deck with a panoramic view of the city.

The new facilities will more than double the present cafeteria working capacity. Pictured on the left is a pressure

cooker and several steam jackets. On the right are deep fat friers and oven warmers.

Thornton P. McGlamery, library technician in the Georgraphy and Map Division, presented a paper entitled "George Eldridge, the Chatham Chartmaker: A Story of Yankee Ingenuity" at the annual meeting of the Middle Atlantic Division, Association of American Geographers, on February 21. Other speakers in the history of cartography session included William J. Heynen, National Archives and Records Service, who discussed "Charting Activities of the U.S. Hydrographic Office 1838-1908" and Mary Clawson, DMA Hydrographic/Topographic Center, who presented a paper describing the "Evolution of Symbols on Nautical Charts Prior to 1800." The session was organized and chaired by **John A. Wolter,** chief of the Geography and Map Division.

William R. Nugent, assistant director for systems engineering and operations, Automated Systems Office, delivered an invited presentation, "Forecasting Computer Saturation Using Time Series Analysis, Queueing Models, and Normative Estimates," at the Federal DP Expo, held from April 28 to the 30th in Washington, D.C. Mr. Nugent's talk focused on analytic techniques for determining in advance when upgrades will be required for large-scale computers used in an environment of growing on-line services.

Personnel Changes

Appointments: Paul Brewer, general equipment operator, WG-5, Bldgs, 00086; Gregory Carson, collections maintenance worker, WG-4, Col Mgmt, 90931; Steven Galloway, collections maintenance worker, WG-4, Col Mgmt, 90931; Dorothy Garrett, janitor, WG-1, Bldgs, AM-107A; Elvirita Gildea, descriptive cataloger, GS-9, Desc Cat, 91124; Edwina Powell, editorial assistant, GS-5, CRS A, 00117; Donald Reid, collections maintenance worker, WG-4, Col Mgmt, 90931; Noriko Sugai, processing assistant, GS-5, Share Cat, 91104.

Temporary Appointments: Mary Anderson, senior administrative clerk, GS-5, CRS MAS, NP; Paula Lewis, master file assistant, GS-3, CRS L, 00105; Randy Moffitt, master files assistant, GS-3, CRS L, 00150.

Promotions: Jane Bancroft, to assistant division secretary, GS-6, CRS F, 00214; Susan Campbell, to reference assistant, GS-7, CRS EPW, 00074; Sharon Hagey, Cat Publ, to accounting and purchasing clerk, GT-4, Photodup, 00209; Jeffrey Hardenstine, CS, to warehouseman, WG-4, P&S, 00138; Irene LeCourt, CRS F, to administrative secretary and staff assistant, GS-7, LL Eur, 00274; Johnnie Lewis, to general equipment operator, WG-5, Bldgs, 00086; William McColl, to general equipment operator, WG-5, Bldgs, 00086; Patrick McInerney, to lead vault/collection attendant, WL-5, M/B/RS, 00028; Sophia Matalik, to assistant correspondence clerk, GT-4, Photodup, 00212; Anne Wallmark, to assistant correspondence clerk, GT-4, Photodup, 00212.

Transfers: Brenda Braxton, NUCPP, to clerk-typist, GS-3, Cat Publ, PR108; Shelena Brown, NLS/BPH, to secretary to assistant chief, GS-5, CDS, 00135; Kathleen Eanes, FRD, to assistant specialist in Automated Resources, GS-4, CRS AIS, 00197; Sherry Meehan, Col Mgmt, to deck attendant (trainee), GS-3, Ser, G101A; Nancy Robinson, Ser Rec, to assistant division secretary, GS-6, CRS F, 00214; Theresa Young, Subj Cat, to secretary/clerk, GS-4, FLC, 00042.

Resignations: Donald E. Brady, Jr., Cop Acq & Proc; Mary Brown, Cat Publ; Sharon Dews, Cop Acq & Proc; Gerald Hamilton, CRS Gov; Sharon Nelson, Cop; Michael Miller, CS; Ronald Robinson, CRS A; Abdul Sayeedi, Cop Lic.

Library of Congress Publications

Ongoing Publications

Accessions List: Southeast Asia. ISSN 0163-4054. *Cumulative List of Indonesian Serials 1974-1979.* Continuing subscriptions free to libraries upon request to the Field Director, Library of Congress Office, American Embassy, New Delhi, India.

Accessions List: Southeast Asia. ISSN 0096-2341. Vol. 6, No. 4. April 1980. Continuing subscriptions free to libraries upon request to the Field Director, Library of Congress Office, American Embassy, New Delhi, India.

Digest of Public General Bills and Resolutions. ISSN 0012-2785. 96th Congress, 1st Session. Final Issue. 1979. (Various pagings) For sale by the Superintendent of Documents, U.S. Government Printing Office, Washington, D.C. 20402, for $29 this issue or $75 a session of Congress, domestic, and $93.75 a session, foreign (LC 14.6:96/1/Final).

Monthly Checklist of State Publications. ISSN 0027-0288. Vol. 71, No. 4. April 1980. (pp. 243-309). For sale by the Superintendent of Documents for $1.50 for single monthly issues, except June and December for $2.45, or $21.90 a year, domestic, and $27.40 a year, foreign (LC 30.9:71/4).

National Union Catalog. ISSN 0028-0348. February 1980. (733 p.). Compiled by the Library of Congress with the cooperation of the Resources and Technical Services Division, American Library Association. For sale by the Cataloging Distribution Service, Library of Congress, Washington, D.C. 20541, for $1,275 for nine monthly issues, three quarterly cumulations, and an annual cumulation.

New Serial Titles: A Union List of Serials Commencing Publication After December 31, 1949. ISSN 0028-6680. January-March 1980. (127 p.). For sale by the Cataloging Distribution Service at $225 for the 1980 subscription year which consists of eight monthly and four quarterly issues and an annual volume which cumulates one to five years.

New Serial Titles—Classed Subject Arrangement. ISSN 0028-6699. February 1980. (44 p.) March 1980. (46 p.) Prepared under the sponsorship of the Joint Committee on the Union List of Serials and published monthly by the Library of Congress. For sale by the Cataloging Distribution Service for $65 a year.

News. ISSN 0160-9211. Vol. 11, No. 2. March-April 1980. Reports on national and international activities in library services for blind and physically handicapped individuals. Distributed bimonthly to the national network of cooperating libraries and agencies serving blind and handicapped readers. Free on request from the National Library Service for the Blind and Physically Handicapped, Library of Congress, Washington, D.C. 20542.

Overseas Outlook. ISSN 0161-1828. Vol. 3, No. 3. April-June 1980. Quarterly newsletter with information for and about talking-book and braille patrons living abroad. Free on request from the National Library Service for the Blind and Physically Handicapped.

The Quarterly Journal of the Library of Congress. ISSN 0041-7939. Vol. 37, No. 2. Spring 1980. (pp. 155-275) For sale by the Superintendent of Documents for $2.25 for the issue or $9 a year, domestic, and $11.25 a year, foreign (LC 1.17:37/2).

Subject Catalog. ISSN 0096-8803. 1978. Vol. 9, Hokan-Israel (1,034 p.) Vol. 10, Israeli-Labor M (1,033 p.) Vol. 11, Labor N-Marind (1,016p.) Vol. 12, Marine-Muslim L (1,030 p.) For sale by the Cataloging Distribution Service at a cost of $890 for the 1978 annual cumulation.

National Union Catalog. ISSN 0028-0348. January 1980. (637 p.). Compiled by the Library of Congress with the cooperation of the Resources and Technical Services Division, American Library Association. For sale by the Cataloging Distribution Service for $1,275 for nine monthly issues, three quarterly cumulations, and an annual cumulation.

The following reports, prepared by legal specialists in the Law Library in response to Congressional requests, are now available for wider distribution. Copies may be obtained from the Law Library, Library of Congress, Washington, D.C. 20540.

Bylaws of the Bulgarian Communist Party: Introduction & Translation, with Vernacular Text by Ivan Sipkov. 1980. (59 p.)

Peking's Minister of Public Security on Strengthening the Legal System by Tao-tai Hsia and Kathryn A. Haun. 1979. (62 p.)

Library Employees Participate In Meeting of Linguists

The Society of Federal Linguists (SFL), on the occasion of its 50th anniversary, presented a program of workshops in Washington, D.C., on March 29. The program was dedicated to contemporary language programs, services, and policies of the Federal Government.

Six workshops were conducted on "Copyright Practices and Foreign Languages," "Current Cooperative Efforts Related to Foreign Languages at the Federal and Metropolitan Washington Levels," "Foreign Language Materials and Services in Some Areas of Economics and Science Policy Research," "Automation in Library Work: The Foreign Language Angle," "Translation in the Federal Service," and "Communication through U.S. Government Programs: Broadcasting and Education Exchange." Library of Congress staff members chairing some of the workshops were Deanna Hammond, David H. Kraus, Everette E. Larson, and Mya Saw Shin. Others presenting papers were Edward S. Yambrusic and Patrice Lyons, who both spoke on the rights of translators and users of translated materials, and James E. Agenbroad, Barbara Roland, and Robert V. Allen, all of whom presented papers on topics related to automation in library work.

The day's activities concluded with a dinner at which Elemer Bako, president of SFL, expressed his thanks to participants, pointed out that March 29 was the last day of National Foreign Language Week, and read the President's proclamation of the week. Joan F. Higbee, vice president of SFL, gave a historical account of the society's efforts to improve government language services and the status of language workers.

On the occasion, the society issued certificates of honorary membership to 15 distinguished public servants whose careers have involved them in the promotion of Federal foreign language interests. Among the guests present to receive their certificates was Stephen R. Aiello, special assistant to the President for ethnic affairs. In his address, Mr. Aiello, himself an eminent bilingual educator, outlined the President's directives in the foreign language area.

Library of Congress officials who received certificates of honorary membership were Deputy Librarian William J. Welsh and Assistant Librarian for Research Services John C. Broderick, both of whom spoke briefly. Mr. Welsh was cited for "his eminent service and leadership in building, preserving and developing the foreign language collections, and developing modern procedures in acquisition and cataloging at the Library of Congress," and Mr. Broderick for "his persistence in adopting and developing modern methods and policies in the preservation and handling of multi-lingual manuscript materials and in the promotion of foreign language research services."

Other certificate recipients in the library field were Richard A. Farley, deputy director for technical information services, National Agricultural Library, and Martin M. Cummings, director of the National Library of Medicine. Members of Congress so honored included Senators Dennis DeConcini, Mark O.

John C. Broderick receives his certificate of honorary membership from Elemer Bako, president of SFL.

SFL President Bako and Deputy Librarian William J. Welsh

(Photographs by Gail Cissna)

Hatfield, and Samuel I. Hayakawa and Representatives Millicent H. Fenwick, Leon E. Panetta, and Paul Simon.

Also elected to honorary membership were John E. Reinhardt, director of the U.S. International Communication Agency; James R. Frith, dean of the School of Language Studies, Foreign Service Institute; William Krimer, an interpreter with the Department of State; and Vernon Root of Johns Hopkins University's Applied Physics Laboratory, who is executive director of the Council for Communications Societies.

Library of Congress staff members who served on the Organization Committee for the March 29 program included Elemer Bako, Elmer Booze, Deanna Hammond, Joan F. Higbee, Gabriel Horchler, Ruzica Popovitch, and this reporter. [*Mya Saw Shin*]

U.S. National Committee on UNESCO Information Program Meets at LC

The United States National Committee for the UNESCO General Information Program (USNC UNESCO/PGI) held its Third Plenary Meeting in the Woodrow Wilson Room of the Library of Congress on Wednesday, March 26. The committee, chaired by ALA executive director Robert Wedgeworth, serves as the central coordinating body of the U.S. national information community, responsible for representing and promoting its needs, interests, and views with respect to the UNESCO General Information Program.

Featured speaker of the day was John E. Fobes, chair of the U.S. National Commission for UNESCO and former deputy director general of UNESCO, who spoke on the UNESCO General Information Program, the U.S. National Commission for UNESCO, and the USNC UNESCO/PGI. Other presentations were made by Paul Wasserman of the College of Library and Information Services, University of Maryland, who chairs the FID Education and Training Committee, on education and training work being done under the auspices of FID with UNESCO funding and Vladimir Slamecka of the School of Information and Computer Sciences, Georgia Institute of Technology, on the education and training programs of the UNESCO/PGI. Terrance Lindemann of NTIS discussed plans for the forthcoming "Seminar on Information for Problem Solving in Socioeconomic Development," the fourth in a series of UNISIST meetings on Planning and Implementation of National Information Activities in Science and Technology, being hosted by the committee and managed by NTIS. (Participation is by invitation only.)

Election results for officers and bureau members for the next two years were announced: chair, Robert Wedgeworth; vice chair, Vladimir Slamecka; treasurer, Paul G. Zurkowski, Information Industry Association; STI Federal Agency, Mary Corning, assistant director for international affairs, National Library of Medicine; and member-at-large, Joseph Becker, Becker & Hayes. Members from the non-

Gathering before the meeting of the U.S. National Committee were (left to right) Frank M. McGowan, Paul Wasserman, Robert Wedgeworth, and Vladimir Slamecka.

Also present at the March 26 session were (left to right) Ralph McCoy, Irene S. Farkas-Conn, and Jason H. Parker, vice president, American Council of Learned Societies.

government sector are Ralph McCoy, acting executive director, Association of Research Libraries; Irene S. Farkas-Conn, American Society for Information Science; and S. Michael McReynolds, Society of American Archivists. Mandated by the Charter to serve on the bureau are a representative of the Library of Congress (Deputy Librarian William J. Welsh, delegate, and Frank M. McGowan, director for acquisitions and overseas operations, Processing Services, alternate) and of the National Archives and Records Service (James O'Neill, delegate). The next Plenary Meeting of the USNC UNESCO/PGI will be on Wednesday, March 25, 1981.

International MARC Group Meets

A meeting of the International MARC Network Study: Steering Committee (IMNS:SC) was held at the Deutsche Bibliothek in Frankfurt, West Germany, on April 9-11. The members of the committee, established by the Conference of Directors of National Libraries (CDNL) in 1975 include Hope E. Clement, chair, National Library of Canada; Dorothy Anderson, International Federation of Library Associations and Institutions' (IFLA) Universal Bibliographic Control Office; Henriette D. Avram, Library of Congress; Marc Chauveinc, Bibliothèque Nationale (France); Paula Goossens, Bibliothèque Royale Albert (Belgium); Stephen Green, British Library; Diana Killen, National Library of Australia; Kurt Nowak, Deutsche Bibliothek; Annika Salomonsen, Det Kongelige Bibliotek (Denmark); and A. L. van Wesemael, IFLA Headquarters. Gunther Pflug, director of the Deutsche Bibliothek, opened the meeting by welcoming the committee to the Deutsche Bibliothek.

The agenda for the three-day meeting included the following three matters.

First, the committee took up the prioritization and/or assignment to other organizations of research tasks previously identified for an international MARC network.

Second, there was a discussion of the comments received and subsequent modifications of the model bilateral agreement for the exchange of MARC records produced by national bibliographic agencies. Sir Harry Hookway, chief executive, British Library Board, and chair of CDNL, had requested these comments at the last meeting of the CDNL held in August 1979. The model bilateral agreement was the result of a study performed for the IMNS:SC by Joseph Rosenthal, University of California at Berkeley. The modified agreement will be presented to the CDNL and, if accepted, the model bilateral agreement and accompanying report describing the study will be published by the IFLA UBC office for distribution.

Last, the committee reviewed papers prepared by (1) a consultant concerned with an international MARC center and (2) Mr. Nowak concerned with an international MARC office. Discussions included definition of the roles, objectives and functions, clientele, resources required, source of funding, and so on, for each entity. A report will be prepared by the chair, reviewed by the Steering Committee, and submitted to the CDNL for discussion at its next meeting.

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